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Join ProspectSV as they present the **Innovation & Impact Symposium** on June 14th,2017! Located at the Microsoft Conference Center in Mountain View, this event will feature the region's leaders from the startup, corporate, public and research communities to examine what it takes to integrate and implement solutions for maximum impact. Formerly the *Connected and Charged Symposium*, the event will build on its history as the premiere forum for **connected transportation, mobility and electrification.**

Innovation & Impact Symposium

WHEN? Wednesday, June 14th 2017 from 9:00am – 5:00pm

(Reception to follow from 5:00pm – 7:00pm)

WHERE? Microsoft Conference Center

1065 La Avenida Street, Mountain View, CA 94043

WHO? Presented by ProspectSV, the Silicon Valley's leading non-profit innovation hub.

TIX? Available atWhova. Order online and also download their event app! http://bit.ly/2mnfMWu

Save $10 off the ticket price by using the event code: **CTO**

PARKING? Free! Available in the Microsoft lots and on the street. EV parking in the back lot (enter on Macon Avenue).

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From Energy to Automotive Industries: Building a Green Workforce

Thu, April 13, 2017 5:30 PM – 7:30 PM PDT

DESCRIPTION

As many Americans watch in anticipation for signs of the labor market to open and more manufacturing jobs to come online under the promise of the new administration, it is a timely conversation to discuss the Bay Area's role in evolving the nation's workforce. In YPE's speaker series, policy and industry leaders will discuss the opportunities and challenges the new clean economy faces, what strategic policies will breathe new life into atrophied markets, and how to preserve high-tech manufacturing labor.

MODERATOR

- Katie Fehrenbacher, Greentech Media Contributing Reporter // @katiefehren

SPEAKERS

- Jennifer Granholm, former two-term Governor of Michigan & Adjunct Professor at UC Berkeley // @JenGranholm
- Tom Wener, SunPower Chief Executive Officer // @SunPower

- Josh Ensign, Proterra Chief Operating Officer // @Proterra_Inc

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ANGEL CAPITAL EXPO
May 2, 2017 - Microsoft, Mountain View

The Angel Capital Expo brings together angel investors and entrepreneurs looking for funding. Angel Capital Expo is organized by Keiretsu Forum, the largest global angel investment network, and was created to foster collaboration among angel groups, as well as reach out to the larger investment community. The event features 16-18 presenters from early stage companies. Companies selected are from a variety of different industries ranging from technology, life sciences, consumer products, real estate,

financial services, social ventures and other segments with high growth potential.

LEARN MORE HERE: www.angelcapitalexpo.com

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Connect with the SF Green Business Community at the Sustainability Unconference: Two Upcoming Events!

An unconference uses open space technology as the participants crowdsource an agenda driven by attendees and selected by vote. Learn great skills from your peers working in the sustainable business community through speaking sessions, workshops, and general discussion topic sessions (click here to check out the topics that were chosen for our January event). Both events include ample time for engaging group discussions and structured networking, as well as the opportunity to indulge in organic food and drinks. This is a great way to learn from your peers, grow a greener business and build a stronger, more sustainable community.

There are two upcoming events, a Mini Unconference and a full-day Sustainability Unconference.

Mini Sustainability Unconference: Monday, April 17 5:30pm - 8:30pm

Sustainability Unconference: Saturday, May 6 9:30am - 4:30pm

The events are hosted by Important Media, publisher of CleanTechnica and 20 other sustainability news sites. Click the links below to learn more:

- What is the Sustainability Unconference: watch our video!
- Check out our attendee list from the first event.
- Why should I attend the Unconference?
- Peek at our final agenda and some images from our previous SF Sustainability Unconference.

Connecting Entrepreneurs to Partners and Funders

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ALUMNI - Build Connections on LinkedIn

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